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## MISCELLANEOUS INDICATORS OF TASMANIAN PRODUCTIVE ACTIVITY, SEPTEMBER, 1966

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P E R I O D	Dairy Products			Bacon and Ham (Cured Weight) (c)	Aerated Waters	Flour (incl. Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps)	Apples - Solid Pack (Including Pie Apple)	Metals	
	Whole Milk (a)	Factory Butter (b)	Factory Cheese					Refined Zinc	Blister Copper
	'000 gals.	tons	tons	tons	'000 gals.	tons (2,000 lb.)	'000 lb.	tons	tons
Year: 1963-64	83,124	13,667	1,337	1,166	2,186	27,412	17,251	138,610	15,128
1964-65	87,343	13,903	2,350	1,171	2,268	27,962	10,494	138,779	13,755
1965-66 p	90,930	14,004	2,940	1,063	2,459	27,359	12,609	143,911	13,912
6 months ended September, 1965 p	29,449	4,141	861	490	922	13,540	9,170	71,319	7,749
6 months ended September, 1966 p	30,762	4,202	1,038	487	984	13,678	14,111	71,714	8,010
Month: 1965 August p	6,860	1,026	246	77	179	2,443	276	12,026	1,376
September p	10,586	1,662	363	84	185	2,232	(i)	11,824	1,470
1966 August p	7,593	1,098	287	83	171	2,335	890	11,884	1,292
September p	11,151	1,691	450	91	202	2,239	(i)	11,534	1,302
P E R I O D	Building Materials			Wood Pulp (f)	Sulphuric Acid	Hot Water Systems, Storage Displacement Type (Other than full Mains Pressure) Electric	Electricity for all Purposes Except Traction	Fertilizers	
	Sawn Native Grown Timber (d)	Clay Bricks - Standard Size (e)	Plaster Sheets					Super-phosphate	Sulphate of Ammonia
	'000 sup. ft.	'000	sq. yds.	tons	tons	no.	'000 k.w.h.	tons	tons
Year: 1963-64	170,857	24,648	782,067	157,413	158,832	4,767	3,409,275	132,113	42,819
1964-65	178,073	26,881	705,256	172,130	182,015	5,020	3,780,062	130,353	59,812
1965-66 p	176,144	24,351	r 562,368	182,600	195,415	4,513	3,901,655	159,875	64,106
6 months ended September, 1965 p	(g) 95,541	14,229	349,203	90,307	101,039	2,227	1,998,401	66,018	30,840
6 months ended September, 1966 p	(g) 88,573	12,112	254,335	94,018	99,479	2,562	2,111,468	51,008	32,302
Month: 1965 August p	16,377	2,185	r 58,936	16,385	14,365	370	345,866	11,949	5,652
September p	16,430	2,277	54,133	15,525	17,814	423	325,233	15,037	4,843
1966 August p	15,837	2,106	46,832	16,715	16,318	717	369,537	7,031	5,264
September p	(h)	2,030	43,927	16,684	13,408	401	345,886	7,227	5,103

(a) Includes whole milk equivalent of butter, butter oil and cheese produced. (b) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil.

(c) Includes non-factory production. (d) Includes peeled and sliced timber converted to a sawn timber equivalent.

(e) Prior to July, 1966 includes "Bricks - Other than Standard Size". (f) Ground wood pulp, chemical and semi-chemical pulp; figures to be used as an index of production only. (g) 6 months ended August. (h) Not yet available. (i) Not available for publication.

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SLAUGHTERINGS, MEAT PRODUCTION AND LIVESTOCK PRICES - TASMANIA

1. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED

P E R I O D	Cattle			Sheep	Lambs	Pigs
	Bulls, Bullocks, Steers	Cows & Heifers	Calves			
Year: 1961-62	42,614	48,638	44,230	510,626	649,306	120,450
1962-63	49,510	62,317	46,149	465,996	628,757	115,424
1963-64	51,518	70,885	53,823	544,945	582,113	123,502
1964-65	52,946	70,510	50,610	424,810	562,135	134,526
1965-66 p	47,720	60,856	46,185	572,822	594,003	144,184
6 months ended Sept., 1965 p	23,568	28,861	38,225	186,266	233,229	60,402
6 months ended Sept., 1966 p	23,785	33,009	43,902	244,573	271,991	65,761
Month:- 1965 August p	3,432	3,599	16,128	33,461	38,479	9,002
September p	3,364	2,901	9,284	27,751	38,061	11,023
1966 August p	3,574	4,356	19,707	35,648	40,938	10,308
September p	4,006	4,547	8,897	32,740	40,340	10,894

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2. MEAT PRODUCTION (TONS - CARCASS WEIGHT)

P E R I O D	Beef	Veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pigmeat (a)	Total
Year: 1961-62	18,778	896	10,066	10,163	5,428	45,331
1962-63	22,711	983	9,462	9,924	5,461	48,541
1963-64	24,593	1,316	10,926	9,153	5,927	51,915
1964-65	25,334	936	9,079	9,044	6,585	50,978
1965-66 p	22,242	906	11,609	9,476	7,014	51,247
6 months ended Sept., 1965 p	10,752	715	3,901	3,842	2,879	22,089
6 months ended Sept., 1966 p	11,382	774	4,974	4,414	3,129	24,673
Month:- 1965 August p	1,464	296	697	636	432	3,525
September p	1,326	163	582	621	547	3,239
1966 August p	1,607	330	748	674	493	3,852
September p	1,732	162	697	640	526	3,757

(a) Includes that used for production of bacon and ham.

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3. LIVESTOCK PRICES (a)

P E R I O D	Calves	Other Cattle	Sheep	Lambs	Pigs
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Year: 1961-62	3.66	59.26	3.11	5.17	22.43
1962-63	3.15	58.82	3.56	6.10	27.81
1963-64	3.49	65.03	4.44	6.77	29.88
1964-65	5.71	78.02	5.95	7.80	30.60
1965-66	5.46	88.86	5.73	7.92	30.41
6 months ended Sept., 1965	4.92	86.08	6.96	9.64	30.21
6 months ended Sept., 1966 p	5.89	89.34	6.77	8.49	30.42
Month:- 1965 August	4.40	95.30	8.33	10.15	33.84
September	5.10	100.51	6.91	10.01	33.12
1966 August p	5.30	94.32	7.36	8.65	30.04
September p	6.33	94.50	6.43	8.04	31.55

(a) Estimated average prices, on the hoof, of main classes of livestock sold for slaughter.  
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